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***Hic et nunc*, however, we present our readers an overview of recent literature from Subject Area 5 published in ESPR and the closely related JSS in order to demonstrate the many facets of this subject area and to complete the information on pp. 446–449.**

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